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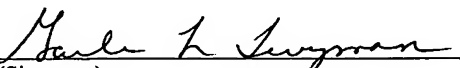
**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

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**PETITION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.78(a)(3) AND AMENDMENT**

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Sir:

Applicants request entry of the following amendment and consideration of the accompanying remarks. Applicants' check in the amount of \$1300.00 in payment of the fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(t) is transmitted herewith. If any additional fees are required, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the same to the account of Barnes & Thornburg, Deposit Account No. 10-0435, with reference to our matter 3220-73417.

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**AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.121(b)(1)**

After the title, please insert the following new heading and accompanying paragraph:

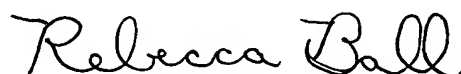
**CROSS REFERENCE TO RELATED APPLICATIONS**

This application is a divisional application of U.S. Patent Application Ser. No. 10/061,480, filed on February 1, 2002, which is a continuation application of U.S. Patent Application Ser. No. 09/180,514, filed on November 11, 1998, which is a U.S. national application of international application serial No. PCT/US97/09717, filed on June 3, 1997, which claims priority to U.S. provisional application serial No. 60/019,095, filed on June 3, 1996.

**REMARKS**

The amendment adding the cross reference is being submitted to indicate the relationship of the subject U.S. divisional application to previously filed applications as required under 37 C.F.R. 1.78. Applicants hereby petition the Patent Office to accept an unintentionally delayed priority claim under 37 C.F.R. § 1.78(a)(3). The entire delay between the date the claim was due and the date the claim was filed was unintentional.

Respectfully submitted,



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